

RECORD OF COMMUNICATION	x	Phone call	Conference	DATE: 11/29/93
		Discussion	Other	TIME: 2:30 p.m
TO: Verne McFarland <i>[Signature]</i> FROM: Joel Rich, Esq. ⁽⁹¹⁸⁾ 588-1116 Chief, SF Info. Mgmt. Sec. Envir. Counsel, Sinclair Oil Co.				
SUBJECT: Waiver of Confidential Status for Sinclair Oil - Tulsa Refinery site file (OKD990750960), Vol. 01				

Summary of Communication:

In response to my 11/23/93 telephone inquiry to Mr. Rich regarding a determination from Sinclair Oil Co. on the need for EPA to continue to maintain a confidential file for this site, Mr. Rich called me this date with the following:

1. He had spoken with senior Sinclair Oil Co.- Tulsa Refinery managers about the need to continue a confidential designation for portions of the referenced EPA CERCLIS file.
2. The Sinclair managers reviewed the information that they had requested be maintained as confidential in a May 8, 1984, letter to EPA's contractor, Ecology and Environment, Inc.
3. The managers determined that the subject information, currently maintained by EPA as confidential, is now part of a submittal to EPA under RCRA, which is subject to public comment, and as such is now part of the public record for the Sinclair Oil Co.- Tulsa Refinery facility.
4. Due to the fact that this information is now public record vis-a-vis the RCRA-related submittal, Sinclair's 5/8/84 request to maintain confidentiality on part of the referenced CERCLIS file may now be considered withdrawn, and said information may be released by EPA to the public, if so requested.

Conclusions, action taken or required:

Mr. Rich requested that, if necessary, he would be willing to sign a statement attesting to the above determination if EPA so desired, and to either mail or fax the statement to him for signature.

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